

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re the Application of: David C. Ward, et al.

Serial No.: 09/335,956

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For: *DELINEATION OF INDIVIDUAL HUMAN
CHROMOSOMES IN METAPHASE AND
INTERPHASE CELLS BY IN SITU
SUPPRESSION HYBRIDIZATION*

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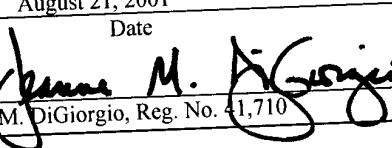
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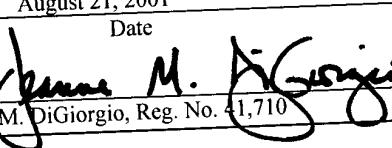

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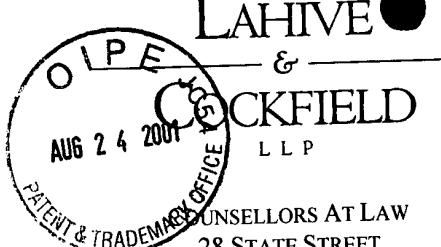
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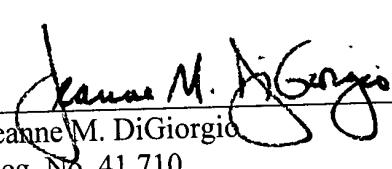
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